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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

This is a response to the outstanding restriction requirement mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 15, 2006 in the above-identified patent application. A response is due by July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2006. According, a one- month extension of time has also been filed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any payments that may be due to Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP Deposit Account No. 08-0219.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Remarks** begin on page 30 of this Amendment.

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